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Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

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1. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (1 page);

2. Modified Form 1449/PTO (1 page), in duplicate;

3. Cited References C30-C31; and

4. Return Postcard.

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311 Ref. No. 15966-599(Cura-99). A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

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Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants hereby make of record the documents listed on the attached modified Supplemental Form PTO-1449 (submitted in duplicate) in the above-identified application, copies of which are submitted herewith. The order of presentation of the references should not be construed as an indication of the importance of the references.

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the mailing date of a first Office Action based on the merits in the above-identified application. Accordingly, no fee or certification is believed due at this time.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider completely the cited information, along with any other information, in reaching a determination concerning the patentability of the present claims, and signs the enclosed Supplemental Form PTO-1449 to evidence that the cited information has been fully considered by the PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE during the examination of this application.

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